

WILL BE GREAT IMPROVEMENT

Postal Service Will be Placed Under

Washington, Nov. 14 .-- Postmaster-General Cortelyou today issued an or der of far-reaching importance, redis tributing the duites of the four ansistant postmaster-generals and affecting the entire postal service. The order will carry into effect on Dec. 1 a plan of the postmaster-general to consolidate the work by grouping under one bureau all related subjects. The result will be to place under the postmastergeneral's personal supervision the direction of the postal service; under the first assistant, the postoffice personnel and management; under the second as-sistant, all matters relating to the fransportation of the mails; under the third assistant, all matters of postal finance, and under the fourth assistant, the rural free delivery and miscellane-

country, including postmusters, assist ant postmasters, elerks and carrier texcept rural carriers), and a geat deal of needless correspondence between the two bureaus, with serious delays in action, arising from a division of au-thority, will be avoided.

division organization is not affected the transfer to the first assistant post. master-general of the control of the movement of the mails within the jur-

once of the link issistant. The third assistant already has the stamp divi-sion, the registry division and the di-vision of postal finance, and the addi-tion of the money order division will bring the principal revenue-producing branches of the department under one head. The division of files and records to this office a challshed and its nerin this office is abolished, and its per-connel and work is assigned to the chief clerk of the bureau, making that his duty conform to those of similar positions in the other bureaus. While the office of the fourth assist-

from it the preparation of cases for the appointment of postmasters, it gains in appointment of postmasters, it sails in having transferred to it the division of dead letters, division of the postoffice supplies and the topographer's office. It will continue to have the rural free delivery service, the growth of which in recent years has been phenomenal and it is here that much can be done in the direction of improved service and economies of administration. It being economies of administration. It being relieved of the immense task of the up-pointment of postmasters and the sup-ervision of the city free delivery ser-vice, the fourth assistant can devote a larger share of attention to this new-est, and in some respects, most import-ent, branch of the postal service. The chief postoffice inspector, in ad-dition to the supervision of the inspectors, will hereafter have charge of the rural agents, who, as members of the investigating force of the department, can with great advantage be assigned to the division of inspectors. The division of supplies is being re-organized and enlarged so as to em-brace practically all of the supplies work of the department.

New York, Nov. 14 .- The Jewish de

proclaimed the self-defense organiza-tion has mapped out the cities into dis-tricts, each with a leader. They need more funds in order to purchase more

nor on charges of conspiracy to defra the government in connection with the river and harbor contracts given out under the supervision of former Capt. O. M. Carter, engineer officer in charge of the Savannah district at the time will not take place until after Jan. federal court of the southern district